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**Letter to Scheveningen Group regarding
Joint Recommendation on Directed Fisheries**

Dear Dirk van Guyze, chairman of the Scheveningen Group,

In the NSAC we would like to thank you for your work on the Joint Recommendation on directed fisheries. We understand that at this point Scheveningen Group suggests keeping the current definitions and conditions for directed fisheries as listed in Annex V, part B, with Member States having the responsibility for monitoring compliance.

The NSAC does not feel the need to comment on the JR as it stands, but pledges continued discussion and collaboration with the North Sea Member States, should there be a need for further definition of one or more directed fisheries mentioned in Annex V, part B to the Technical Measures Regulation.

We invite the Scheveningen Group to inform us about further steps and timeline of their work on Technical Measures Regulation.

Best regards,



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